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29/437

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An Uimhir ag Roinn  
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Roddy Connolly,  
Milward Terrace,  
Bracklow.

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29/6/83

Mr. Verjano

6/3/84

P.H. D.V.

16/3/84



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Mr. Bolger,

I had a special call from Senator Rody J. Connolly, in regard to his Military Service Pension, Ref. 3398/39. As you know he is the son of the late James Connolly executed in 1916. He was Staff Liut. to P.H. Pearse and to his late father. His pension is £13.12 per month and the Senator is anxious to know if there are any means by which his pension can be increased. He feels it should be reconsidered by the Board. After the next General Election he will have to live on this pension together with a small pension as a retired teacher. I have great sympathy for ~~Senator~~ <sup>Senator</sup> Connolly because of his great record and perhaps you will ask the Secretary to have the matter fully investigated and in the meantime send the Senator a note to say I am looking into the matter.

O.J.F. 3.2.1977.

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Runaí

Freagra led' thoil le  
h-aghaidh ~~mó shiniú/síniú~~  
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4/12/77.



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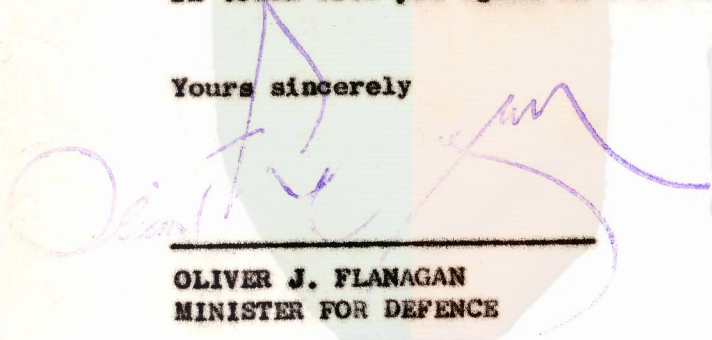
4 February, 1977

Dear Rody

I wish to refer to your recent call on me regarding the possibility of increasing the rate of your Military Service Pension.

As promised I am having enquiries made in the matter and I will be in touch with you again as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely



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OLIVER J. FLANAGAN  
MINISTER FOR DEFENCE

Senator R.J. Connolly  
4 Milward Terrace  
Bray  
Co. Wicklow

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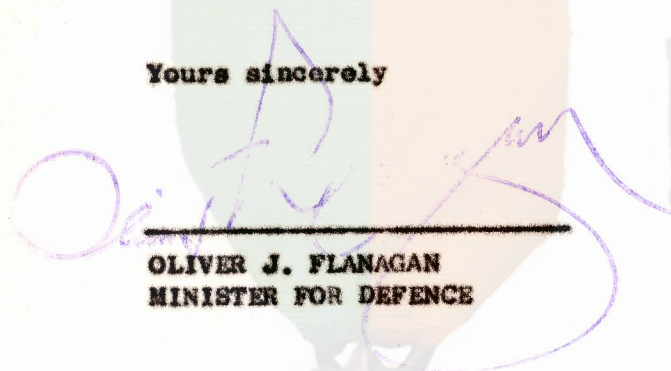
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# Military Archives

do. H.  
✓  
Mt. ~~Barstow~~  $\frac{10}{2}$

Obviously nothing can be done under the heading of military service pension. This can be covered in draft letter to Senator Connolly.

But the Senator may come under Section 45(1)(b) of the Army Pensions Act 1953 (as the son of a signatory of the 1916 Proclamation incapable of self-support .....). I am sure he is well over 70 years of age now.

William

9/2/77

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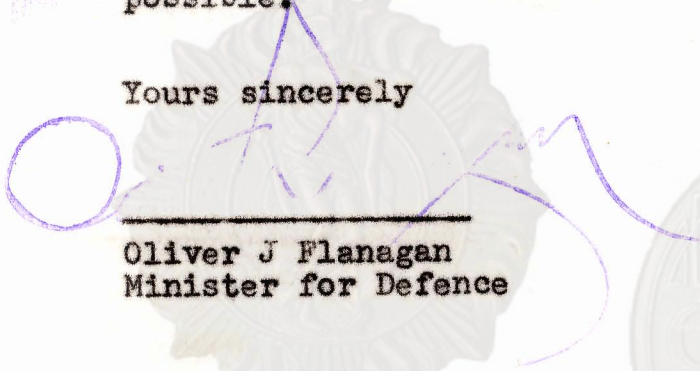
18 May 1977



Dear Raddy

With reference to your recent call, I find that the only way in which assistance might be available to you is under Section 45 of the Army Pensions Act, 1953, which provides for payment of an allowance to the son of a Signatory to the 1916 Proclamation who is incapable of self-support by reason of age or permanent infirmity.

If you consider that you come within the terms of this section perhaps you would let me have a written application and I will have the claim dealt with as quickly as possible.

Yours sincerely

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Oliver J Flanagan  
Minister for Defence

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Senator  R J Connolly  
4 Milward Terrace  
Bray  
Co Wicklow

Copy of Section 45 enclosed  
with original.

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May 1977

Dear Reddy

With reference to your recent call, I find that the only way in which assistance might be available to you is under Section 45 of the Army Pensions Act, 1953, which provides for payment of an allowance to the son of a Signatory to the 1916 Proclamation who is incapable of self-support by reason of age or permanent infirmity.

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Senatory R J Connolly  
4 Milward Terrace  
Bray  
Co Wicklow

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[1953.]

Army Pensions Act,  
1953.

[No. 23.]

(4) In this section "child" has the same meaning as in section 7 of the Act of 1943.

44.—(1) Where a person who had been in receipt of a special allowance dies after the termination of the last award and before a new award had been made and where a new award would have been made but for the death of such person, then, notwithstanding subsection (1) of section 12 of the Act of 1949, the Minister may pay, in respect of such person, a gratuity equal to the amount of the special allowance which would, at such person's death, have accrued due on foot of the new award.

Gratuities to  
relatives of  
certain deceased  
persons.

Repealed.

Sec. 37 J

1957 Act

(2) Subsections (3) and (4) of section 12 of the Act of 1949 shall apply in respect of a gratuity payable under this section.

(3) Subsections (1) and (2) of this section shall be deemed to have come into operation on, and shall have effect on and from, the 1st day of July, 1950.

## PART VI.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

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45.—(1) There shall be paid out of moneys provided by the Oireachtas, on application being made to the Minister, an annual allowance of £125 to—

Allowances to  
certain children  
of Signatories to  
the Proclamation  
published on  
Easter Monday,  
1916.

(a) each daughter of a Signatory to the Proclamation published on Easter Monday, 1916, and

(b) each son of such Signatory, where the Minister is satisfied that such son is incapable of self-support by reason of age or permanent infirmity of body or mind.

(2) Each allowance under subsection (1) of this section shall be payable monthly in arrear and shall commence on such date (not being earlier than the date of the passing of this Act) as the Minister may determine. X

46.—The Minister for Finance may from time to time and in respect of a specified period give, subject to such conditions as he may from time to time decide, and in respect of pensions, allowances and gratuities payable under any provision of the Acts or of this Act to which section 9 of the Act of 1923 applies, a general consent for the purpose of the said section 9.

Amendment of  
section 9 of the  
Act of 1923.

Repealed -

Sec. 31, 1957 Act



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With reference to an tAire's enquiry concerning Senator R.J. Connolly, the position is that the Senator is in receipt of a pension of £157.44 a year under the Military Service Pensions Act 1934.

Senator Connolly will not have enough service to qualify for a pension in respect of his services as a member of the Oireachtas by the time the present Senate terminates.

Senator Connolly's five sisters were granted awards under Section 45 of the Army Pensions Act 1953. Mrs Nora Connolly O'Brien and Mrs Ina Connolly Heron are each at present being paid an allowance at the rate of £745.32 a year.

per W. L. Brown  
Dail Office

DP. 23807  
23808  
23745  
26349  
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Senator Connolly would be eligible for an award of an allowance under the 1953 Act - copy of relevant Section attached - if he applies for it and if the Minister is satisfied that the Senator fulfills the necessary requirements. Senator Connolly is over 70 years of age and if the analogy of the Special Allowance code be applied, an applicant could be deemed to be incapable of self support on grounds of age when he reaches the age of 70 years. (Note the late Mr. Cashman's minute of 14th October 1966 on DP 43427 attached)

If and when Senator Connolly applies, the commencing date for the payment of the Allowance will be not earlier than the date the Minister signs the necessary Order in the case.

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Senators Allowance £3087 p.a.



34SP.41185

*Runaldi 18/2/77*

*Position explained to  
Minister. no need for draft  
letter to Senator Connolly. Minister 18/2/77*

With reference to an ~~taire~~'s enquiry concerning Senator R.J. Connolly, the position is that the Senator is in receipt of a pension of £157.44 a year under the Military Service Pensions Act 1934. As the administration of the Military Service Pensions Act was wound up more than 20 years ago, it would not be possible to have his claim re-opened. His pension is increased each year in the context of the Budget statement of the Minister for Finance. The next increase becomes effective from 1st July next.

Senator Connolly will not have enough service to qualify for a pension in respect of his services as a member of the Oireachtas by the time the present Senate terminates.

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*(born 1901)*

*at the same rate*

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*After a min. 11/2/77*





SEANAD ÉIREANN  
BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH  
(Dublin 2)

4 Milward Terrace,  
Bray.  
18 May, 1977.

Oliver Flanagan, T.D.,  
Minister for Defence.

Dear Mr. Minister,

I am bringing to your attention the fact that in my opinion I am entitled to a Special Pension as a son of one of the signatories of the Proclamation of Easter Week, 1916 and as one who served in the G.P.O., 1916.

I am hereby making application for such a Pension from the State and I should be grateful if you would come to a favourable decision in this matter.

Yours sincerely  
Roddy Connolly



# Military Archives

May, 1977

Dear Roddy

I received your letter of the 18th instant and  
I am having your application examined.

I shall let you know the outcome as quickly as  
possible.

Yours sincerely

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OLIVER J. FLANAGAN  
MINISTER FOR DEFENCE

Senator Roddy Connolly  
4 Milward Terrace  
Bray  
Co. Wicklow

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4 Milward Terrace,  
Bray.

19 May, 1977

<sup>Rúna ar Lúnta</sup>  
Oliver J. Flanagan, [Mr. o' Corráin].  
Minister for Defence.

Dear Oliver,

Thanks for yr. letter with  
enclosure (1953 Act). I do con-  
sider that I qualify for the  
Pension "by reason of age".

I can produce a medical  
certificate that I am unable  
to support myself by remuner-  
ative labour owing to age,  
now 76.

Sincerely yours  
Roddy.



# Military Archives

19 May, 1977

Dear Roddy

I received your letter of the 18th instant and  
I am having your application examined.

I shall let you know the outcome as quickly as  
possible.

Yours sincerely

*(Sgd.) Oliver J.*

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OLIVER J. FLANAGAN  
MINISTER FOR DEFENCE

Senator Roddy Connolly  
4 Milward Terrace  
Bray  
Co. Wicklow

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MR CORCORAN Asst Secy

Freagra led' thoil le  
aghaidh ~~mó shíniú~~/síniú  
an Aire

*R. Bolger*

RÚNAÍ AIRE

*20/5/77*

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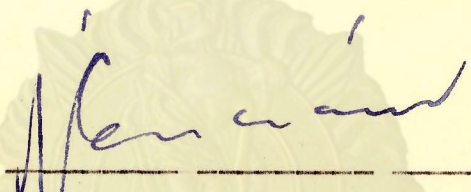
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Section 45 provides for the grant of an annual allowance to each son of a Signatory where the Minister is satisfied that such son is incapable of self-support by reason of age or permanent infirmity of body or mind. There is no means test.

A statutory requirement for the grant of a special allowance under the Army Pensions Acts is that an applicant must be incapable of self-support by reason of age or permanent infirmity of body or mind. For special allowance purposes a person aged 70 years or over is regarded as incapable of self-support by reason of age. On the analogy of the special allowance applicant Senator Connolly could be regarded as incapable of self-support by reason of age.

Submitted for decision by the Minister as to whether he is satisfied for purposes of section 45 that Senator Connolly is incapable of self support by reason of age.

The current **annual** rate of the allowance is £745.**80**. It will be increased by 10% from the 1st July 1977.

  
27 May 1977

Minister

Should you express yourself to be satisfied that Senator Connolly is incapable of self support by reason of age, an annual allowance under section 45 of the Army Pensions Act 1953 can be paid to him

M. Healy  
31 May 1977

I am satisfied that Senator Connolly is incapable of self support by reason of age on the special allowance criterion.

O.S.F. 31/5/77.



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May 1977

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Ref. No. DP. 56841  
34 SP. 41185

A.P. 21.

ARMY PENSIONS ACTS. 1923 TO 1968.

CLAIM FOR DEPENDANTS' ALLOWANCE OR GRATUITY

APPLICANT'S ; Name Senator Roddy J. Connolly

Address H. Milward Terrace

Bray, Co Wicklow

Name of Deceased James Connolly

\*Force to which Deceased belonged Irish Volunteers

Date of Death of Deceased 12 May 1916

Relationship of Applicant to Deceased Son

PARTICULARS OF DECEASED'S CHILDREN IN RESPECT OF WHOM ALLOWANCE IS CLAIMED.

Name	Date of Birth
do.	do.
do.	do.
do.	do.
do.	do.
do.	do.

Particulars of Payments made from Army Funds to Applicant since death of Deceased.

\*Oglaigh h-Éireann (I.R.A.), Irish Volunteers, Irish Citizen Army, 1916, Fianna Éireann, Hibernian Rifles, Cumann na mBan, Defence Forces.



Minister for Defence.

~~In accordance with the report of the Army Pensions Board,~~ The Applicant  
is eligible for an Allowance under Section 45(1)(b) of the Army Pensions  
~~Gratuity~~

Act 1953

The Board recommend:—

a ~~Gratuity~~ of .....

an allowance of £445.20 per ANNUUM in respect of .....

do. ....	per .....	do. ....
do. ....	per .....	do. ....
do. ....	per .....	do. ....
do. ....	per .....	do. ....
do. ....	per .....	do. ....

The allowance as above to be paid as from 31st May 1977  
during lifetime

The proposed grant is recommended.

M. Cronin

14 June 1977

The Minister for Defence grants an allowance in accordance with the foregoing  
recommendations gratuity

GO Morda

14 June 1977.



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Officer in charge  
Finance Registry

Is there any trace of previous papers relating to the undermentioned.

If so, please attach

If not please open <sup>DP.</sup> ~~DP.~~ file and attach.

Army No. \_\_\_\_\_

Rank \_\_\_\_\_

Name Senator Roddy Connolly

Unit \_\_\_\_\_

Present Address 4 Milward Terrace,  
Bray, Co Wicklow.

SR. A.3(c)

Date 8.6.77.

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No. 56841

A.P. 25

ARMY PENSIONS ACTS, 1923 to 1968.

AWARD CERTIFICATE.

An Roinn Cosanta,  
(Department of Defence)  
Brainse Pinsean an Arm  
(Army Pensions Branch)  
Coláiste Caoimhín  
(St. Kevin's College)  
Glasnaoidhean,  
(Glasnevin)  
Baile Átha Cliath, 9  
(Dublin)

.....June 21st 1977.....

I am directed to inform you that your claim for an allowance in respect of the death of your.....**father**.....has been considered, and to state that An tAire Cosanta has approved of an Award in your case as shown below.

S. Ó MÓRDA.

Rúnaí

Senator Roddy J. Connolly  
To.....  
4 Milward Terrace  
.....  
Bray  
.....  
Co Wicklow

Rate per annum	From	To	Remarks
£745.20 (Seven hundred and forty five pounds 20p)	31st May 1977	during lifetime.	Payment will be made on receipt of the enclosed Pensions Declaration form duly completed.

N.B. - This Certificate is no security whatever for debt. It should be carefully preserved, as it will be of the greatest assistance to you when completing the Pension Draft which will be sent to you.

\* In the event of the death of the person to whom this Form is addressed, the person who notifies the local Registrar of Deaths should deliver this Form and any other Pension papers held by deceased, to him, and will receive from him the sum of one shilling for so doing.



PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN THIS FORM IMMEDIATELY

No. DP. 56841



FORM P.D.4

## PENSIONS DECLARATION

Required by Subsection 5(1) of the Appropriation Act, 1962

CAUTION—Any person wilfully making a false declaration is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding thirty pounds.

I, Roderic James Connolly  
(Names in full)

of 4 Milward Terrace, Bray, Co. Wicklow  
(State place of residence)

declare that I am entitled to receive payment of the pension/allowance granted to me as

the son of James Connolly a former  
(State relationship) (Name of Deceased)

member of I.C.A. + Signatory of 1916 Proclamation I further declare  
Comdt.-General (State Organisation)

~~that I have not re-married since the grant of my pension and that the following children in respect of whom pensions have been granted are now living and, in the case of daughters, unmarried.~~

.....

.....

.....

Date. 22 June 1977

Signature R. J. Connolly

## SUPPORTING DECLARATION

I hereby declare that I am a person described in paragraph (1) of Rule 4 of the Pensions Declarations Rules, 1966 (set out overleaf); that the pensions declaration above was made in my presence and that I believe the person making that declaration to be the pensioner described therein.

Signature of Witness Sarah E. Clarke

Address 4 Milward Terrace  
Bray

Date. 22 June, 1977



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## PENSIONS DECLARATIONS RULES, 1966

PARAGRAPH (1) OF RULE 4: ".....a pensions declaration shall be made before a person who is not the pensioner or the wife or husband of the pensioner or of the declarant and who —

- (a) in case the pensions declaration is made in the State, is a person whose name is on the register of Dáil electors, or
- (b) in case the pensions declaration is made outside the State, is a person of one of the descriptions specified in the Schedule to these Rules."

SCHEDULE referred to at (b) above

Persons (not being the pensioner or the wife or husband of the pensioner or of the declarant) before whom pensions declarations are to be made outside the State.

1. A person whose name is on the register of Dáil electors.
2. An Irish diplomatic or consular officer.
3. A Minister of religion.
4. A physician or surgeon registered as such under the law of the country in which the pensions declaration is made.
5. An officer of a bank, including a savings bank, being an officer authorised by the bank to sign documents on its behalf.
6. A magistrate.
7. A barrister, solicitor or advocate authorised to practice in the country in which the pensions declaration is made.
8. A notary public or other person competent by the law of the country in which the pensions declaration is made to administer oaths.
9. A police officer.

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(A STAMP IS NOT REQUIRED)

AN RUNAI,

ROINN COSANTA (A.3.(B)),

COLAISTE CAOIMHIN,

GLASNAOIDHEAN,

BAILE ÁTHA CLIATH, 9.

(FOLD HERE)

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Roinn Cosanta  
Brainse Airgeadais (A3B)  
Glasnaoidhean  
Baile Atha Cliath 9.

5 July 1972.

A/C Ref: 29/437

A Chara

With reference to previous correspondence, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to enclose herewith a warrant in your favour for £ 64.10 ~~56.48~~.

This sum represents your pension entitlement for the period 31/5/77 to 30/6/77 less income tax deduction of £ 7.62.

Future payment will issue to you monthly in arrear, at the rate of £ 62.10 per month (gross). Kindly forward your Certificate of Tax Free Allowances, or Cessation Certificate, to this office as soon as possible. Pending the receipt of such certificate, an Emergency Tax Deduction card is being used.

Your pension account reference is 29/437. Please quote this number in any enquiry by phone or letter regarding your pension.

Mise le meas

  
RUNAI

Senator Roddy J. Connolly

A. Milward, Teller

Beany

Co. Wicklow.

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Form for use where a Grant of a Service or  
Disability Pension or a Widow's or Dependant's  
Allowance has been made for the first time.

Reference Numbers.

Regy. \_\_\_\_\_

DP 56841.

A/Cs. \_\_\_\_\_

29/437

1. A. 3(b)

Please note award in this case.

MR  
A3(c)

Date 23.6.77.

2. Registry

Please open a new card in this case and note the account number.  
Return file to A3(b) indicating hereunder any other references  
appertaining to the pensioner.

MR  
A3(b)

Date 29/6/77

3. A3(b)

Action taken in accordance with Paragraph 2 above.

MR LA  
Registry

E 3398

Date 29/6/77

4. A3C

Action completed

\_\_\_\_\_  
A3B

Date \_\_\_\_\_





# DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

A.P. A/cs 32

This Warrant is exempt from Stamp Duty

I, THE UNDERNAMED, TO WHOM AN AWARD HAS BEEN MADE UNDER THE **ARMY PENSIONS ACTS**

AFFIX MY SIGNATURE IN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE RECEIPT FROM THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE OF THE NET SUM SHOWN BELOW FOR THE

PERIOD ENDED **31 AUGUST 1977**

29 437 0 1 8 77

GROSS	DEDUCTIONS		SEE OVERLEAF
	INCOME TAX	Code	
£ 68.32 62.10 6.22	£ 12.42	27 1/8	
NET SUM	£ ***49.68 POUNDS	Co. 2	

SENATOR RODDY J CONNOLLY  
4 MILWARD TCE  
BRAY  
CO WICKLOW

R

NET SUM  
£

£49.68

29 437 0 1 8 77

SIGNATURE  
OF PAYEE.....

**NOTICE TO BANKERS.** THIS AMOUNT MAY BE CLAIMED THROUGH ANY BANK, BUT THE WARRANT MUST BE PRESENTED BY A DUBLIN BANKER FOR PAYMENT AT THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE, DUBLIN, IRELAND. THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE ACCEPTS NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY ADVANCE OF MONEY MADE AGAINST THE WARRANT IN ANTICIPATION OF ITS ACCEPTANCE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.



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## DEDUCTION CODES

- 1 ABATEMENT
- 2 RENT
- 3 POSTAGE
- 4 MISCELLANEOUS



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29/437

Dáta ..... 30. júna ..... 1977.....

Do. *Wm. Knolly & Co*

.....

By the Willows

Athen.

With reference to your defendants allowance  
I am directed by the Minister for Science to enclose  
the following warrants:-

- 1) Additional amount for £44.98 net in respect of the period ended 31 July 1977. This sum represents an underpayment of £6.22 gross less £1.24 income tax. This underpayment resulted from the fact that your correct entitlement ref 1st July 1977 was £68.32 gross whereas your account varied for only £62.10 gross.
- 2) A sum of £54.66 net which represents your correct entitlement of £68.32 less income tax £13.66 for August 1977.

Any inconvenience caused is regretted,

Nine leaves,

sp. Rinnai





# INCOME TAX

P 45 (Supplement)

(PAY AS YOU EARN)

Particulars of payments made to ex-employees since date of leaving which were  
NOT INCLUDED IN THE ORIGINAL FORM P 45

Serial Number..... *NIL*

Employer's Regd. No..... *4000064 L*

Ex-Employee's Surname	First Name
<i>CONNOLLY</i>	<i>SENATOR RODDY CJ.</i>

Date of Leaving..... Date of Death *19.10.80* Date of Marriage (if female).....

Dept. of Social Welfare Insurance Number.....

Total Gross Payments made since date of leaving NOT  
included in Form P 45 ... .. £ *52.64*  
~~*69.50*~~ p

Tax deducted therefrom ... .. £ *NIL* p

Total Pay Related Social Insurance contributions made  
since date of leaving NOT included on Form P 45 ... .. £ *NIL* p

If any part of the above payments or contributions relates to periods before 6 April last give  
the make-up of the payments or contributions here:—

		<u>PAYMENTS</u>			<u>P.R.S.I.</u>		
From	, 197... to 5 April, 197...	£	.	p	£	.	p
From 6 April, 197... to	, 197...	£	.	p	£	.	p

CERTIFICATE: I certify that the particulars given above are correct.

Employer..... *Department of Defence*..... Date.....

Address..... *Blaise Camlin, Glasnevin, Dublin 9*.....

See Instructions Overleaf



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## INSTRUCTIONS TO EMPLOYER

1. Payments already included in the total pay on Form P 45 should NOT BE INCLUDED on this form.
2. If the employer holds a Tax Deduction Card for the ex-employee in respect of the current year he should deduct tax in accordance with the tax-free allowances for Week 1 or Month 1 and he should enter the pay and tax on the Tax Deduction Card against the week in which the payment is made.  
If the employer has no Tax Deduction Card for the year in which the payment is made he should use an Emergency Tax Deduction Card.
3. This form should be completed and sent to the Tax office immediately following the making to an ex-employee of any payment not included in the original Form P 45.

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# DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE

A.P. A/cs 32

This Warrant is exempt from Stamp Duty

I, THE UNDERNAMED, TO WHOM AN AWARD HAS BEEN MADE UNDER THE ARMY PENSIONS ACTS

AFFIX MY SIGNATURE IN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THE RECEIPT FROM THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE OF THE NET SUM SHOWN BELOW FOR THE

PERIOD ENDED 31 DECEMBER 1980

29 437 0 1 12 80

GROSS	DEDUCTIONS		SEE OVERLEAF
	INCOME TAX	Code	
£ 101.98	£		£
<b>NET SUM</b>	£**101.98 POUNDS		

SENATOR RODDY J. CONNOLLY  
4 MILWARD TEE  
BRAY  
CO WICKLOW

29 437 0 1 12 80

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NET SUM  
£

£101.98

SIGNATURE  
OF PAYEE.....

**NOTICE TO BANKERS.** THIS AMOUNT MAY BE CLAIMED THROUGH ANY BANK, BUT THE WARRANT MUST BE PRESENTED BY A DUBLIN BANKER FOR PAYMENT AT THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE, DUBLIN, IRELAND. THE MINISTER FOR DEFENCE ACCEPTS NO RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY ADVANCE OF MONEY MADE AGAINST THE WARRANT IN ANTICIPATION OF ITS ACCEPTANCE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENCE.

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## DEDUCTION CODES

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29-437

Your Ref: NPC/EE

January, 1981.

A Chairde,

Re: Roderic James Connolly, deceased.

With reference to your letter of 7th January 1981 regarding the above-named deceased, I am directed by the Minister for Defence to acknowledge receipt of the pension warrant (£21.58), and to state that assuming the date of death to be 16th December 1980 the balance of pension and allowance which is due under the Military Service and Army Pensions Acts amounts to £63.78.

A funeral grant of £200 is also payable to the person responsible for the funeral expenses of the deceased. Please forward the following to this office for noting:

- 1) The enclosed form of Statutory Declaration duly completed,
- 2) A Registrar's certificate of death,
- 3) A receipted funeral account showing the name and address of the person who paid it.

On receipt of the above mentioned the question of releasing the monies due will receive attention.

Mise le meas,

RUNAI

Messrs James A. Connolly & Co.,  
Solicitors  
13, St. Andrew Street  
Dublin 2

*James A. Connolly & Co*  
SOLICITORS

COMMISSIONERS FOR OATHS  
NIALL P. CONNOLLY, B.C.L., L.L.B.  
JOHN B. QUINN, B.C.L.

Your Ref: 39/3398/29/437

Our Ref: NPC/FH

The Secretary  
The Department of Defence  
Finance Branch  
Colaiste Caoimhin  
Dublin 9

RE: Roderick J. Connolly Deceased  
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Dear Sir,

Further to your letter of the 29th of January 1981, we now enclose  
Original Grant of Probate.

We assume that, as you are being furnished with Grant of Probate,  
that the other matters mentioned in your letter are now irrelevant.  
We would now mention however, that this office has discharged the  
Funeral Account.

We await hearing from you.

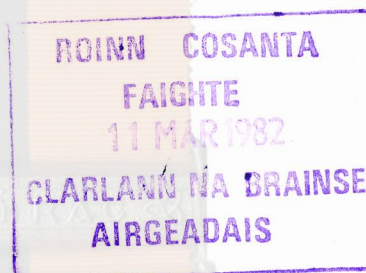
*Niall P. Connolly*

TELEPHONE DUBLIN 714966.

13, ST. ANDREW STREET,  
DUBLIN, 2.

D.D.E. 132

March 9th, 1982



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L Probate  
No. 6

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# THE HIGH COURT

## PROBATE

BE IT KNOWN, that on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January 1982 the last Will

a copy of which, signed by the Assistant Probate Officer, is hereto annexed, of

RODERIC JAMES CONNOLLY late of 4 Milward Terrace Bray in the County of Wicklow

Teacher (Retired)

deceased, who died on or about the 16th day of December 1980 at ~~same place~~, St. Michael's Hospital Dun Laoghaire in the County of Dublin

was proved, and registered in the Probate Office and that the Administration of all the estate which devolves to and vests in the personal representative of the said deceased was granted by the Court to SARAH E. CLARKE of 4 Milward Terrace Bray aforesaid Secretary the sole Executrix

named in the said Will  
she having been first sworn faithfully to administer the same.

And it is hereby certified that an Affidavit for Inland Revenue has been delivered wherein it is shown that the gross value of all the Estate of the said deceased within this jurisdiction (exclusive of what the deceased may have been possessed of or entitled to as a Trustee and not beneficially) amounts to £ 48,502-54 and that the net value thereof amounts to £ 48,502-54

And that it appears by a Certificate issued by the Revenue Commissioners that the payment of Inheritance Tax has been deferred.

Assistant

Probate Officer.

Extracted by  
£45-00

James A. Connolly & Co

Solicitor S

13 St Andrews St

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Per call to solicitors it was stated that it is not certain whether there is a widow or not. The person who could give me this information was not available and I requested that he ring me as soon as possible with the information.

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Your Ref: N.P.C./F.H.

25 March, 1982.

A Chairde,

With reference to previous correspondence, I am directed by an  
taire Cosanta to enclose a Payable Order in favour of your client  
Sarah E. Clarke for £263.78 being the balance of pension and allowance  
due to the estate of the late Roderick James Connolly and funeral  
grant.

The Grant of Probate is returned herewith.

Mise le meas,

E. DEANE  
RUNAI

Messrs James A. Connolly & Co.,  
Solicitors  
13 St. Andrew Street  
Dublin 2

Diata  
Date 29/3/82  
FO No. 4746.

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Only Parts marked X need be completed.

A.P. 29.

## ARMY PENSIONS ACTS, 1923 to 1968

Application by a Widow for an Allowance for herself, or for herself and children under Section 14 of the Army Pensions Act, 1927, as amended by the Army Pensions Act, 1943.

NOTE—This form is to be filled in by the applicant in person in her own words, and the form is to be signed by her and the signature witnessed. In the event of the applicant being unable to write, she should affix her mark, such act being witnessed.

X Name of Applicant (To be written in Block Capitals) CONNOLLY MARGARET  
(Surname) (Christian Names)

X Address 127 Ardmore Park Bray

Nearest Garda Siochana Station BRAY - SIDMONTON RD

X Name and Rank of Deceased Member

Unit Army No.

Name and Rank of Commanding Officer

NOTE—Before answering any of the questions below, the applicant is to note that the statements made will be checked from official records.

Section 12 (1) of the Act of 1923 as amended by the Act of 1927 imposes a summary penalty for a false declaration.

“Every person who, with a view to obtaining the grant or payment of a pension, allowance, or gratuity under this Act either for himself or for any other person, makes, signs, or uses any declaration, application, or written statement knowing the same to be false shall be guilty of an offence under this section and shall be liable on summary conviction thereof to a fine not exceeding twenty-five pounds, or, at the discretion of the court, to imprisonment for any term not exceeding six months or to both such fine and such imprisonment.”

If the applicant is unable to read, the above notes should be read over to her by the witness, who should so testify in his attestation of the claim.



- X 1. Give the date of marriage to the Deceased.
- X 2. When and where did the Deceased die, and what was the cause or causes of death? (Certificate of Death to be attached).
3. In what way do you claim that the disability, (or disabilities), which was the cause of death, was connected with the Military Service of the deceased? What grounds have you for the claim? (A detailed statement of the facts, with dates, should be given).
4. State for what period deceased served in the Army.
  - (a) When, and in what area or areas, did the disability (or disabilities) which resulted in death commence?
  - (b) Who was the deceased's Commanding Officer or Officers?
  - (c) Give the names of any persons who can corroborate your answer to (a) above.
  - (d) State the date of discharge of the deceased from the Army.
5. Were there any particular conditions affecting the Service of the deceased which you claim caused the disability (or disabilities).
6. Give particulars of the health of the deceased for the 3 years prior to joining the Army. If possible, certificates should be furnished.
  - (a) from his Doctor, and
  - (b) from his approved Society for the 3 years prior to his joining the Army, or, if he was not an insured person, certificates should be furnished by the Medical Practitioner who ordinarily attended him during those 3 years. A statement will also be required from his Employer, or Employers, in respect of the 3 years prior to his joining the Army.
7. Give the name of the hospitals where the deceased was treated for the disability (or disabilities) stated in reply to Question 2 above, and the approximate date of admissions and discharges, if possible.
8. Did the deceased suffer from the disability (or disabilities) mentioned in above answer to Question 2, or anything like it, prior to joining the Army? If so, give details and dates.

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16<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1980 DUNLAIRK

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9. Was the deceased at any time prior to joining the Army a candidate for any appointment which necessitated a medical examination? If so, state the nature of the appointment and the result of the medical examination.
10. Give the names of any hospital, or hospitals, in which the deceased received treatment as an in-patient or an out-patient, prior to the period of his Service, and the nature of the ailment or ailments for which treatment was provided.
11. What was the nature of the employment of deceased—
  - (a) before joining the Army;
  - (b) after his discharge from the Army.
12. Give the names and addresses of his Employers ;
  - (a) during the 3 years prior to joining the Army;
  - (b) during the period since his discharge from the Army.
13. Give particulars of any period, or periods, of unemployment since the cessation of the Military Service of the deceased, and the cause of it (e.g. trade depression, ill-health, etc.).
14. Did either the deceased or yourself receive compensation from the deceased's Employers, or from any person or body in respect of any accident, injury, or disease. If so, give full particulars and state the amount of such compensation.
15. Give the names and addresses of any Doctors who attended the deceased since the cessation of his Military Service.
16. If the deceased was treated at a hospital (either as an in-patient or an out-patient) since the cessation of his Military Service, give the name of the hospital, or hospitals, dates of admission, or commencement of treatment, and the nature of the ailment for which treated.
17. Give particulars of the health of deceased since the cessation of his Military Service. These should be supported by—
  - (a) medical certificates from any civilian doctors who attended him, and reports from non-military hospitals which deceased attended;



(b) certificates from deceased's Employers as to health and time lost.

18. Give the name of deceased's National Health Approved Society, and (if possible) his membership number.

X 19. Give the following particulars of children living:—

Full name of each son under 18 and each unmarried daughter under 18.	Date of Birth.

20. State whether your deceased husband was at any time in receipt of a pension, allowance or gratuity, in respect of injuries received or disability incurred in the course of service with any of the following Military or Police Forces:—

(a) British or Commonwealth.

(b) Garda Siochana.

21. Give particulars of any payments you have received from Army Funds since the death of your husband.

22. State whether any claim has been made or is being made by you in respect of any other member of the Forces.

23. Is there any other information which you can give which is material to your claim?

The above statement has been read over by/to me. It is my own statement and is correct and complete. I have nothing to add to it.

X (Signed) Margaret Connolly

Address

127 Ardmore Park

X (Signed\*) Samuel Smith

Address

Garda Siochana Dundasghave

X Qualification of Witness Garda Sergeant

Date 5<sup>th</sup> April 1982

\*To be signed by one of the following:—

A Commissioned Officer serving in the Defence Forces.

A Permanent Civil Servant (active or retired).

A District Justice.

A Peace Commissioner.

A Barrister-at-Law, a Solicitor or a Commissioner for Oaths.

A Minister of Religion (denomination to be stated).

A registered Physician or Surgeon.

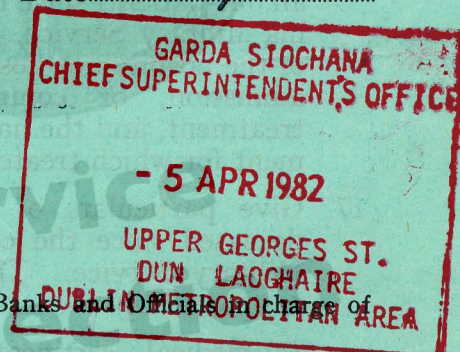
Managers, Secretaries, Chief Cashiers, and Accountants of Banks and Branch Banks.

A member of the Garda Siochana.

A Postmaster or Postmistress in actual charge of a Post Office.

Head Teachers of Secondary or National Schools.

A Secretary of a Registered Friendly Society.





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Widows Allowance  
for your attention  
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No allowance payable.  
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A/C No. <sup>29</sup>~~92~~ 437

Name Senator Roddy J. Connolly

1. Annual Rate £ 745.20
2. Monthly Rate £ 62.10
3. Award from 31<sup>st</sup> May 1977
4. Entitlement from 31/5/77 to 30/6/77 = £ 64.10
5. Tax Free Allowance (A/B/Emergency) £ 26.00 per month
6. Taxable Income £ 38.10
7. Tax on £ 38.10 @ 26 % = £ 7.62
8. Net Amount Payable = £ 56.48
9. Inspector of Taxes Notified on P46 4/7/77
10. Warrant issued and Certificate of Tax Free Allowances requested.

Initialled MR 4/7/77

Checked AC 5/7.

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Ref 29-434

1. Requisition File
2. Notate Kardex *PP 016742*
3. Notify E.D.P section *PW 4469 (12/80)*
4. Enter death or cessation in Note Book
5. Calculate balance (below) and issue appropriate pro forma
6. Notify death of special allowance holder to A3A
7. Notify death of Military Service Pensioner and/or special allowance holder to A3V
8. Notify Inspector of Taxes P45
9. P45 Supplement
10. Date of Death *16<sup>th</sup> December 1980*
11. Rate per month *£101.98*
12. Paid to *30<sup>th</sup> November 1980*
13. Due *£52.64*
14. Tax Free Allowance (A/B) *N*
15. Taxable Income *NIL*
16. Tax Due *NIL*
17. Net amount payable. *£52.64*

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*Loravon  
7-7-82.*

*SA  
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Total £263.78*

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